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Team Framingham 2015 Boston Marathon – Team Announced

The drawing to select the 22 runners to be part of Team Framingham was held Monday December 8th in the Ablondi Room at Town Hall.

Team Framingham 2015 coordinators Selectmen Vice Chair Michael Bower and Assistant Town Manager Jennifer Thompson hosted the event. Selectman Cheryl Tully Stoll and Town Manager Bob Halpin assisted in drawing the names of the runners.

The drawing was broadcast live on the Government Access Channel thanks to Director Ron Rego.

The runners selected will be required to raise a minimum \$ 1500 for one of the following six organizations, with a fundraising target of \$ 2500:

Call2Talk
Framingham Adult ESL Plus
Framingham History Center
Friends of the Callahan Senior Center
Resiliency for Life
Voices Against Violence

This is up from last year's \$ 500 minimum requirement and \$ 2000 target.

The runners selected in the first 22 spots and who will run the Boston Marathon this coming April for Team Framingham 2015 are as follows:

# 1	Sheila Cusolito	-	Framingham Resident
# 2	Nathan Hogan	-	Framingham High School Teacher
# 3	Peter Gould	-	Framingham Resident
# 4	Eric Johnson	-	Framingham DPW
# 5	Jose Roman	-	Framingham Parks and Recreation Department
# 6	Clyde Robinson	-	Framingham Resident

# 7	Lauren O'Connell	-	Framingham Resident
# 8	Michelle Kinsella	-	Framingham Public School Health Teacher
# 9	Jason Kane	-	Framingham Resident
# 10	Katie Dandurand	-	Framingham High School Counselor
# 11	Beth Delahunty	-	Brophy Elementary School Teacher
# 12	Joseph Mazzola	-	Framingham Fire Department
# 13	Elizabeth Parnell	-	Barbieri Elementary School Teacher
# 14	Maria Davis	-	Framingham High School Teacher
# 15	Phillip Joseph Mooney	-	Framingham Resident
# 16	Matthew McDonough	-	Framingham Resident
# 17	Julie Busuwski	-	Framingham Resident
# 18	Candice Beermann	-	Framingham Resident
# 19	Sarah Matteodo	-	Framingham Resident
# 20	Jonathan Marshall	-	Framingham High School Teacher
# 21	Catherine MacIsaac	-	Stapleton Elementary School Teacher
# 22	Matthew Trostel	-	Framingham Resident

The thirteen "wait listed" runners selected are as follows:

# 23	Margaret Ciccarelli	-	Walsh Middle School Teacher
# 24	Nicholas Kynoch	-	Framingham Resident
# 25	Dan Dube	-	Framingham Resident
# 26	Stuart Hurowitz	-	Framingham Resident
# 27	Robert Moore	-	Framingham Resident
# 28	Amy Schwartz	-	Framingham Resident
# 29	Cori Desantis	-	Framingham Resident/Charter School Employee
# 30	Scott Christensen	-	Framingham Resident
# 31	Kenneth Regan, Jr.	-	Framingham Parks and Recreation Foreman
# 32	Marissa Garofano	-	Framingham Health Department
# 33	Stewart McKenzie	-	Framingham High School Track Coach
# 34	Matthew Hanlon	-	McCarthy Elementary School Principal
# 35	Vernon Turner	-	Framingham Resident

Wait listed runners will move onto the team in this order in the event one of the 22 runners selected decide not to participate. 3 wait listed runners were moved on to the inaugural 2014 Team Framingham.

Team Framingham 2014 was mentored in their training for this challenging event by members of the Greater Framingham Running Club. 24 of the 25 Team Framingham runners successfully completed the 2014 Boston Marathon. The running club has committed to serve in this capacity once again this year.

The first Team Framingham 2015 meeting will be scheduled for the week of either January 5 or 12. The BAA applications will be handed out at that time.

Runners have been advised of the following recommendations:

- Random selection participants are encouraged to begin a running program prior to the actual selection of the team so that they will have a good "base" for the rigorous training necessary to be fully prepared for the April 20, 2015 Boston Marathon.

- Training for and running in a marathon is a physically challenging and demanding undertaking. It is strongly recommended that applicants meet with their primary care physician before engaging in this program, particularly those individuals who have not run before or those who have not engaged in long distance running previously.

Please join us in Congratulating Team Framingham 2015!!!

Inquiries or questions can be sent to MarathonBibs@framinghamma.gov or by the Board of Selectmen/Town Manager's Office at 508-532-5400.